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Governor Gregoire's statement about
SB 5073

OLYMPIA -- Gov. Chris Gregoire released today the following statement regarding the passage of SB 5073, concerning the use of medical cannabis:

“I realize the value that medical marijuana has for patients and support the voter-approved initiative. I also agree with the intent of the Legislature to clarify ambiguity surrounding search and arrest as well as concerns around dispensaries and access. We need to create a system that works.

“I asked the Legislature to work with me on a bill that does not subject state workers to risk of criminal liability. I am disappointed that the bill as passed does not address those concerns while also meeting the needs of medical marijuana patients.

“I will review the bill to determine any parts that can assist patients in need without putting state employees at risk. No state employee should have to break federal law in order to do their job.”

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Subject: Fw: Medical Marijuana
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#1. Marijuana goes for around \$3000 a pound for good hydroponic Marijuana.

#2. The price per mature plant w/ buds is \$1500.

Average yield of a plant is a ½ pound.

a. 45 plants = \$67,500

b. 99 plants = \$148,500

#3. Space needed to grow is:

a. 45 plants 10x10=100 square feet

b. 99 plants 20x20=200 square feet

c. Space also depends on how crowded they place the plants and what type of strain they grow.

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From: Lane, John (GOV) [mailto:John.Lane@gov.wa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 05, 2011 08:27 AM
To: Berry, Jason (WSP)
Subject: RE: Medical Marijuana

Two other questions.

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From: [Curtis, Cory \(GOV\)](#)
To: [GOV dist Cabinet; GOV dist Agency Communication Directors; GOV dist Sr. Staff;](#)
Subject: Medical Marijuana remarks and partial veto letter
Date: Friday, April 29, 2011 3:26:59 PM
Attachments: [SB 5073 partial veto letter.pdf](#)
[ESSB 5073 Final.pdf](#)

Hi all-

This afternoon the Governor took action on ESSB 5073, the bill relating to medical marijuana. She did a partial veto primarily related to her concern that the legislation could subject state employees to federal prosecution.

Attached is the partial veto letter as well as a copy of the remarks she gave.

Let us know if you have any questions-

Thanks-

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Subject: Re: Medical Marijuana
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Checking. Its prob going to depend on grade and size, but ill get a range if possible.
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